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5 **PATENT APPLICATION**

Applicant(s): Fleischer et al.
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15 Title: Fast and Scaleable Approximation Methods for Finding Minimum Cost Flows
with Shared Recovery Strategies and System Using Same

20 **VOLUNTARY AMENDMENT**

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25 Sir:

30 Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows. The present
amendment assumes that the prior amendment submitted on December 20, 2006 has been
entered and includes the prior remarks which have been updated to reflect the following
amendments.